

The New York Times Best Seller List

This Week	April 12, 1953 Fiction	Last Week	Weeks On List
1	DESIREE, by Annemarie Selinko. (William Morrow.)	1	11
2	THE SILVER CHALICE, by Thomas B. Costain. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	2	37
3	GOLDEN ADMIRAL, by Francis Van Wyck Mason. (Doubleday.)	4	6
4	EAST OF EDEN, by John Steinbeck. (Viking Press.)	5	28
5	STEAMBOAT GOTHIC, by Frances Parkinson Keyes. (Julian Messner, Inc.)	3	20
6	THE SECOND HAPPIEST DAY, by John Phillips. (Harper and Brothers.)	6	9
7	THE CAINE MUTINY, by Herman Wouk. (Doubleday.)	8	104
8	KISS ME AGAIN, STRANGER, by Daphne du Maurier. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	9	3
9	PRINCE BART, by Jay Richard Kennedy. (Farrar, Straus and Young.)	7	3
10	THE GALILEANS, by Frank G. Slaughter. (Doubleday and Co.)	13	11
11	THE SOJOURNER, by Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings. (Charles Scribner's Sons.)	10	13
12	THE STONES OF THE HOUSE, by Theodore Morrison. (Viking.)	11	4
13	I AND MY TRUE LOVE, by Helen MacInnes. (Houghton Mifflin Harcourt.)	--	5
14	THE VELVET DOUBLET, by James Street. (Doubleday.)	14	12
15	THE GREEN MAN, by Storm Jameson. (Harper and Brothers.)	16	2
16	THE OUTSIDER, by Richard A. Wright. (Harper and Brothers.)	--	1

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1	ANNAPURNA, by Maurice Herzog. (E. P. Dutton and Company, Inc.)	1	12
2	THE POWER OF POSITIVE THINKING, by Norman Vincent Peale. (Prentice-Hall, Inc.)	2	23
3	THE SILENT WORLD, by Jacques Yves Cousteau and Frederic Dumas. (Harper Collins.)	3	8
4	HOLY BIBLE: REVISED STANDARD VERSION. (Thomas Nelson.)	4	26
5	THIS I BELIEVE, by Edward R. Murrow. (Simon and Schuster.)	5	17
6	A MAN CALLED PETER, by Catherine Marshall. (McGraw-Hill Book Company.)	6	77
7	THE SIGN OF JONAS, by Thomas Merton. (Harcourt, Brace and Company.)	9	7
8	ALWAYS THE YOUNG STRANGERS, by Carl Sandburg. (Harcourt, Brace and Co.)	7	12
9	THE WHITE RABBIT, by Bruce Marshall. (Houghton Mifflin.)	10	5
10	PRINCE OF PLAYERS, by Eleanor Ruggles. (W.W. Norton.)	8	4
11	ANGEL UNAWARE, by Dale Evans Rogers. (Fleming H. Revell Co.)	--	1
12	THE FABULOUS FANNY, by Norman Katkov. (Alfred A. Knopf.)	11	5
13	TALLULAH, by Tallulah Bankhead. (Harper and Borthers.)	13	26
14	POSTCARDS FROM DELAPLANE, by Stanton Delaplane. (Doubleday and Company, Inc.)	--	1
15	THE LAST RESORTS, by Cleveland Amory. (Harper and Brothers.)	14	20
16	THE WORLD AND THE WEST, by Arnold Toynbee. (Oxford University Press.)	--	1